

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: A8601

Scott HEIFERMAN

Appln. No.: 10/710,055

Group Art Unit: 3629

Confirmation No.: 4054

Examiner: OUELLETTE, Jonathan P.

Filed: June 15, 2004

For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ORGANIZING REAL-WORLD GROUP  
GATHERINGS AROUND A TOPIC OF INTEREST

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of February 27, 2009 to August 27, 2009.

The statutory fee of \$555.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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